

# ANTHONY INJURY PROBLEM

**WYCOMBE** Wanderers could be without two regular players for their visit to Oxford tomorrow (Wednesday) in the Rothmans Isthmian League. Skipper John Delaney is still troubled by a leg injury while Geoff Anthony has a groin strain.

Delaney has been out for the last two matches while Anthony was forced to come off at half time on Saturday against Ilford. It is a sad blow for the Welshman, who has been showing much improved form lately. Tony Price, Anthony's replace-

ment against Ilford, will take over up front.

Oxford also have a string of injury problems. Full back Barry Cooper has missed the last two matches with a leg injury and is unlikely to return tomorrow while Steve Atherton, centre back, was injured against Cheltenham in the F.A. Cup and is almost certain to be out. Alan Evans is the likely man to deputise.

City hope to include a youngster in midfield, 16 year old coloured lad Glynn Brown who is still at school. A product of Oxford's youth team, Brown

has impressed in recent matches.

Oxford have struggled in the league this season, scoring just eight goals in 15 matches. They have drawn five games but their weakness upfront has plagued them all season. They are currently 17th from the 22 clubs in the table.

Victories have come against Hitchin 3-1, Sutton 1-0 and Staines 1-0. On Saturday, City's much weakened side crashed 3-0 at Kingstonian with Chris Proctor scoring a hat-trick. Two City players were booked, Barr and Glass, taking their penalty points total to three.

In September Wanderers were held to a goalless draw by Oxford at Loakes Park but since then, of course, they have improved considerably.

Nevertheless, Wycombe will have to overcome a formidable barrier in Jack Woodley at centre half. Jack plays his 751st game for the club tomorrow and his consistency over the years has been remarkable. In the 0-0 draw at Loakes Park he was undoubtedly the man of the match. But Oxford will do well to hold Wycombe, who are now playing some of their best football of the season.